

WOMAN'S HERALD

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What is a Woman's Page?

Cookery, cosmetics and clothes. These three words would practically include all that a woman's page of a few years ago was supposed to contain. If a woman wanted to find out whether she should have the sleeves in her new gown small or large, if she wanted to find a recipe for concocting made-over meats, if she wanted to know how to remove freckles overnight, she might turn to the woman's page.

But if she wanted to gain information about the latest news in the woman's world, questions of education, economics, sociology, with their special application to women, she would not have thought of turning to the woman's page.

And a good many women have retained this out-of-date idea about a woman's page. Yesterday when the editor of The Woman's Herald was talking with the chairman of the press committee of the Woman's National Democratic League there was evidence of such a feeling. The chairman suggested that the story about the opening of the convention today would interest if it were placed on some page besides the woman's page. It was clear to see that the chairman did not think it was really a "woman's page" story. Woman's page stories in her opinion contained champagne formulae, directions for mending stockings or fashion gossip, never anything else.

All these things—cookery, clothes and cosmetics, even—were of importance on a woman's page. But so are women's political meetings, questions of education, sociology and philanthropy—all the questions that interest the women of today.

Perhaps the chairman of the press committee of the Woman's National Democratic League was right in a way. Perhaps women do not look to the woman's page for news about women's political conventions. But it is in the hopes that all the women readers of The Washington Herald will come to regard The Woman's Herald as their own particular department if the editor had her way.

EXPOSITION IS NEARLY READY.

Buildings Will Be Ready Long Before Opening Day.

San Francisco, Jan. 6.—According to a statement made by the Panama-Pacific Exposition officials today, the world's fair will be ready to open to the public at least ten days before the scheduled opening day, February 20.

All of the exposition structures either are in a finished state or rapidly nearing completion—that is, with the exception of the State and foreign buildings. Some of the latter are finished, others are still in construction, while a small percentage are just rising from their foundations. With the decision of the French government to begin work, one more building has been added to the list of foreign structures.

Every Russian soldier engaged against the Austrians or the Germans carried on his person an ikon or sacred picture which is supposed to guard him against the bullets of the enemy.

GROGAN'S

Bargains

Hundreds of odd pieces of furniture in every department of our store, are being offered at greatly reduced prices.

You can have them charged, with easy terms—no notes or interest.

For cash or a settlement in 30 days we allow a discount of 10 per cent from the plainly marked special prices.

Dressing Tables.

We still have quite a large selection of these dainty, gracefully designed pieces which add so much to the furnishings of the boudoir. All are beautifully finished, with highly polished surfaces, and have mirrors of heavy beveled French plate.

One in mahogany, reduced from \$37.50 to \$27.50.

One in mahogany finish, reduced from \$27.50 to \$22.50.

One in golden oak, reduced from \$34.50 to \$25.00.

One in bird-eye maple, reduced from \$25.00 to \$18.50.

One in mahogany finish, reduced from \$17.50 to \$14.00.

One in bird-eye maple, reduced from \$25.00 to \$19.50.

One in golden oak, reduced from \$40.00 to \$30.00.

One in mahogany finish, reduced from \$11.00 to \$7.50.

Regular 90c grades of Ingrain Carpets reduced to 65c.

Regular \$1.65 grades of Axminster Carpets reduced to \$1.40.

Regular \$1.10 grades of Tapestry Carpets reduced to 80c.

Regular \$1.25 grades of Tapestry Carpets reduced to 90c.

Regular \$1.50 grades of Velvet Carpets reduced to \$1.20.

We make, line, and lay all Carpets free, without charge for what may be wasted in cutting to match figures.

Steamer Lost with Thirty-six.

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Housewives Daily Economy Calendar

FROCKS FOR THE DAUGHTER.

The newest models in girls' frocks are cleverly arranged one-piece dresses, the skirt being large enough to slip on over the head, and the waist, which is fastened on the skirt, being open from the neck to the belt line in front. Sometimes this front opening is arranged surplice fashion and sometimes it buttons quaintly right down the front.

The chief advantage of these frocks is that the little girl can don them and fasten them without assistance. They are also easy to wash and iron and have the great advantage that a one-piece dress always possesses. The waist of these frocks is long, coming somewhat below the normal belt line. Sashes tied either on the front, side or the back are worn with them.

A few white frocks of this description that could be made at small expense at home or could be bought at a reasonable price at this season will serve very nicely for dancing school and party wear. Then when the freshness is gone they can be washed and used for every day afternoon dresses all summer.

The old-fashioned challs dress for little girls has come back into fashion. And it is the old-fashioned challs—small figure and quaint of design. These frocks are trimmed with colored ribbons and touches of lace at the sleeve and neck.

For school frocks the guimpe has come in again, but it is usually a costume that is worn with a high collar and a long skirt.

A frock made of plain blue serge or one of the small plaids or checks would be very serviceable now for school days and in spring days come it could do for an outdoor frock without a coat.

For girls between ten and fifteen there are many school frocks made of blue serge, with long black satin sleeves for all the world like the frocks of grown-ups.

For practical school wear there is nothing more suitable than the Russian blous, model made usually of dark blue serge, and worn with a pique or lawn guimpe chemise.

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HOROSCOPE.

"The stars incline, but do not compel."

Thursday, January 7, 1915.

Astrology reveals that this is a fortunate day, for although Saturn is adverse early in the morning, Neptune and Venus are in benefic aspect later in the day.

Affairs connected with shipping are most favorably directed under this rule. It is a propitious day for commerce and for journeys by sea. Lawmakers should deal seriously with naval affairs when the planets direct human destinies as they are believed to direct them today.

Through the fine foodstuffs is likely under this configuration. Fortunes are foretold for Americans who handle tinne foods.

Conditions are most favorably for those who seek inspirational ideas, whether they be in poetry, music, and literature, or in commerce, business, and professional life.

Women should find this way of the stars helpful to them in whatever they undertake as a means of making money. Another indication, however, is that they are not altogether encouraging to women. The year will bring them unusual anxieties and responsibilities, if the seers are correct, and those who love them will multiply. It is said.

Weddings and love affairs are subject to a good guidance today.

Persons in charge that contribute to the pleasure and well-being of women are supposed to partake of the good luck under the friendly direction of Venus.

Hotel proprietors and those who conduct restaurants and boarding-places will have much patronage, the soothsayers announce, but they are warned of heavy losses.

Uranus augurs well for the development of all psychic and occult investigation. It is prophesied that within a quarter of a century knowledge of the unseen world that is as accurate as that pertaining to the material world will be attained.

England has a sign that indicates serious troubles in Parliament, acrimonious debates and exciting episodes. The death of a famous statesman is foretold.

Persons whose horoscope it is should not trust their business affairs in good shape. They are cautioned against false friends. Chatter boxes are likely to be kind, sympathetic, and lovable. They are likely to place small value on money. They are subjects of Capricorn and Saturn is their principal ruling planet.

TOMORROW'S MENU.

"This dish of meat is too good for any but angels, or very trained men."

IZAKA WALTON.

BREAKFAST.

Oranges and Cream.

Codfish Balls.

Baking Powder Biscuits.

Coffee.

LUNCHEON.

Devilled Sardines.

Buttered Toast.

Cottage Cheese.

Croutons.

DINNER.

Planked Haddock with Mashed Potatoes.

Macaroni Baked with Cheese.

Chopped Green Tomato Pickle.

Lettuce Salad.

Apple Pie.

Codfish balls—Cut slat codfish into one-inch pieces enough to fill a cup full. Put into an earthen bowl and cover with boiling water. Set on the stove where it will not boil for two hours. Pour off the water and pick to pieces. Add a heaping cupful of hot mashed potato and drawn butter made from a teaspoonful of flour, a heaping tablespoonful of butter, and a few tablespoonsful of boiling water, cooked a few minutes. Season with pepper. Make into eight little flat cakes, dredge with flour, and fry brown next day in hot salt pork or bacon fat.

Devilled sardines—Sift a little mustard and pepper on a plate and roll sardines in it. Then roll them in egg crumbs, then in egg and milk, and again in crumbs. Brown in hot fat and serve in thin slices of hot buttered toast.

Planked haddock—Skin and bone a haddock, leaving the meat in two pieces. Rub the fish with a little oil and salt. Remove to planks and sprinkle with salt and pepper. Garnish with mashed potato as a border and bake in the oven for two hours. Send to the table with parsley and lemon slices as a garnish.

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Grandson of Chicago Packer To Be Married Tomorrow

One of the Wealthiest Men of Chicago to Wed Gwendolin Condon, a Charming New York Girl, Whose Father Is a Leader in Mining Industries.



MISS GWENDOLIN CONDON.

Philip D. Armour, son of Philip A. Armour, of Chicago, and Miss Gwendolin B. Condon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas G. Condon, of New York, are to be married tomorrow at the Church of the Heavenly Rest in New York. Mr. Armour is twenty-nine and Miss Condon is eight years his junior. Affairs connected with shipping are most favorably directed under this rule. It is a propitious day for commerce and for journeys by sea. Lawmakers should deal seriously with naval affairs when the planets direct human destinies as they are believed to direct them today.

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FIRE PROTEST ON "RULE 45"

Women Object to Restriction Against Teachers Marrying and Holding Places.

GOES TO COMMITTEE

Chairman Lerner Will Fix Date for Meeting—Race Segregation Quarrel Comes Before Educators.

Protest against public school rule 45, which automatically discharges a woman the day she marries, was formally presented to the Board of Education at a meeting yesterday, but the board deferred action by referring the protest to the committee on rules. When the issue will come up before the committee is uncertain, as Chairman John B. Lerner has not fixed the date of its next meeting.

Henry P. Blair, president of the board, announced the receipt of resolutions adopted by the State Equal Suffrage Association "in reference to rule 45" and asked if there was any objection to the matter being referred to the committee. There was no objection and comment was conspicuously absent.

"Relief of Feudalism." The suffrage association termed the rule a "relief of feudalism, not in line with present day progressiveness, a slander upon marriage and tending to prevent marriage, a tendency contrary to public policy and public morals and not in keeping with laws of the District outlined in the married woman's act."

Race segregation was interjected by Frederic J. Haslins, the writer, explained the project of a local newspaper to give a free moving picture show at the Columbia Theater to public school children. Dr. C. W. Child, a colored member of the board, offered strenuous objections on the ground that the colored children probably would be given seats in the "peanut gallery," while white children would sit on the first floor.

Haskins explained that he and the newspaper had not thought of segregation, but Child was so vehement that the board finally referred the matter to Supt. Thurston, who must thrust it out to the "satisfaction of all concerned." Haskins wanted the board to authorize school teachers to sign clippings cut from his newspaper certifying that children applying for admission to the moving picture show are pupils in public schools.

Edgar D. Thompson, Rev. C. W. Whitmore and Mrs. C. H. Frye asked the board to request Congress to purchase additional playgrounds at the expense of the city. The board decided the request could not be made until properly owners agreed to close an alley running through a school and the ground desired purchased.

Many Changes Made. The following recommendations of Supt. Thurston were approved by the board:

Appoint Miss Elizabeth Ferguson as teacher of stenography and typewriting and assign to Business High School, temporarily.

Grant extension of absence, without pay, for three months to Miss N. M. Mack.

Designate Miss Rhoda Mawson as principal of the Hamilton School, temporarily.

Accept resignation of Miss L. B. Capell, teacher of second grade, Leeward School.

Appoint Miss E. C. Handy as teacher of the second grade and assign to the Leeward School.

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Democratic Women Are In Town From Far and Near

Nearly Every State of the Union Represented by Delegates Who Are Assembled for Convention of Woman's National Democratic League.



Mrs. William A. Cullop, president of the Woman's National Democratic League.

From all over the country Democratic women have assembled in Washington to be present at the convention of the Woman's National Democratic League that opens this morning at 11 o'clock at the Willard Hotel. This organization, which came into existence three years ago, is now one of the women's political organizations of the country that have to be reckoned with. Under the presidency of Mrs. William A. Cullop, wife of Representative Cullop, of Indiana, the organization has flourished and prospered, and especially in States where the suffrage feeling runs high the organization has wide and acknowledged influence both among men and women.

This morning at 11 o'clock the delegates and their friends and all friends of the Democracy at the Willard Hotel will receive their badges. At 11 o'clock Mrs. Cullop will call the meeting to order and the order of the day will be begun by the singing of "America." Bishop Harding, of Washington, will then deliver the prayer, after which Speaker Champ Clark will deliver the greeting to the delegates. Mrs. Cullop will reply, and after that Commissioner Sidons will give the welcome. Following that the Comptroller of the Treasury, Judge George E. Downey, will make an address.

Tonight there will be a reception of the delegates and their friends and all friends of the Democracy at the Willard ballroom at 8 o'clock. Secretary Bryan will deliver an address, and Mrs. Charles W. Fairfax and Mrs. Blair, of the symphony club, will render a musical program. After this program there will be an informal reception. It is hoped that Mrs.

Marshall, who since the death of Mr. Wilson has been the ranking officer in the organization, will have returned to Washington from Arizona in time to be present at this reception. The particular occasion for the reception tonight is the fact that it is "Jackson Day," a day which came into existence Tuesday of the Woman's National Democratic League.

All the meetings and receptions of the league will be open except the election of officers, and it is hoped that many Democratic women in Washington will take this opportunity of hearing Speaker Clark and Secretary Bryan. On Friday morning at 10:30 there will be another interesting session, at which former Gov. Folk, of Missouri, will speak. The convention is as follows: Executive, Mrs. William A. Cullop, of Indiana; president, Mrs. E. D. Hopkins, Washington; arrangements, Mrs. J. Franklin Little, Georgia; Credentials, Mrs. James N. Davis, information, Mrs. William Graeme Harver, Virginia; resolutions, Mrs. Charles Bennett Smith, New York; press, Mrs. Lucia R. Maxwell, Washington; badges, Mrs. Sarah Vernon, Washington; past, Mrs. Pansie Wilson, Washington; present, Mrs. William A. Cullop, Washington; official recognition, Mrs. Clarence McKay, Washington; parliamentarian, Mrs. James Pryor Tarrin, Kentucky; Sergeant-at-Arms, Mrs. Beverly Buchanan, Washington.

The chairman of the standing committees are as follows: Reception, Mrs. F. E. Morris, Washington; vice chairman, Mrs. Edward T. Taylor, Colorado; ways and means, Mrs. Thomas Brown Rhodes, Washington.

Style Tips About Town. There is a new fad for decorating the back of corages with artificial flowers.

Velvet